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Greetings Alexander Alexandervitch,

First of all, brother, let me congratulate you with the fortunate crossing over from "Happy Stalin Heaven" - may devil take it, into the camp of real democracy. I am happy that our forces are increasing while we here are impatient for things to get hot, I hope you are with us also and anxious as we are for the liberation of our suffering people from the yoke of international and hated by all of us Bolshevism. By now Stalin will not drink the blood of our people for very much longer. We, Russians in Sidney, are imbued with burning hatred for all of Communism. That is why we are so happy to greet you as one who has torn himself away from Bolsheviks and their influence. We are also from "out there" with the only difference that we have escaped in 1942-43 or else were captured by the Germans or else were taken by the Germans to Germany and after coming of the allies did not wish to voluntarily be repatriated, which as you know was a wise thing, since otherwise we would have been long since "deported to the moon" in some camp in Kalyma. I would like to ask you if you know my good friends, Stepan Evanovitch Kulikov of Sulin, or his relatives - if you do, please let me know.

Secondly, if you need anything at all such as clothing, then let me know. We would be very happy to send by air mail shoes, shirts, trousers, etc. Let us know your sizes and address and we will immediately send it out. If you can, write us as to how do our people live now. Are they hungry; are they dressed, are they shod? You may know what happened to the people who were repatriated from Germany. If you should so agree, we shall send your article to Russian newspaper in Australia, "The Union". I am waiting for your reply.

/S/ Bens

P. S. If you have in mind to come to Australia, then come, but confidentially I would recommend that you go to America.

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